

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Jens FEIERABEND  
SERIAL NO.: 10/808,667  
FILED : March 25, 2004  
TITLE : SELF-CLOSING VALVE  
Group/A.U.: 3754  
Conf. No. : 6213  
Examiner : Melvin A. Cartagena  
Docket No.: P06104US2

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
(37 CFR 1.136(a))

Mail Stop - Amendment  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 15, 2007, for one month from January 15, 2008, to February 15, 2008.

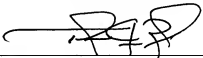
Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 for one month to cover the cost of the extension. If there is any deficiency in this fee, please charge Deposit Account 50-2098.

Applicant is a large entity.

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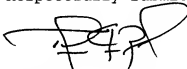
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I hereby certify that the above correspondence was e-filed to Commissioner of Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2008.

  
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A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'TJ Zarley', with a large, sweeping loop at the end.

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